# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

# FISCAL MEMORANDUM



HB 1159 – SB 1275

March 7, 2013

**SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL:** Requests the Tennessee Code Commission to delete the word "commissioner" and replace it with the word "administrator" wherever it may appear in Tenn. Code. Ann. § 50-6, regarding workers' compensation law, except in § 50-6-102, § 50-6-118, and § 50-6-412.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

#### NOT SIGNIFICANT

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (004144):** Adds language to the original bill. Deletes chapter definition for "benefit review conference" from worker's compensation law. Requires a petition be filed rather than filing a request for review by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development. Makes technical corrections to workers' compensation law that will only be relevant upon passage of SB200 – HB194 of the 108<sup>th</sup> General Assembly.

### FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

• According to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development, there will be no impact on the operations of the Department.

## **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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